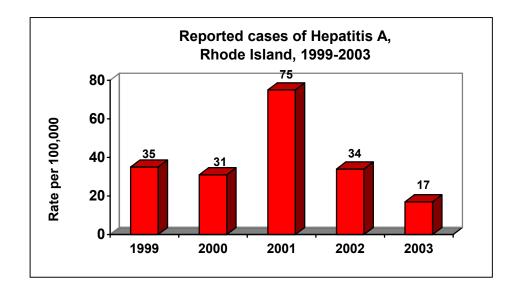
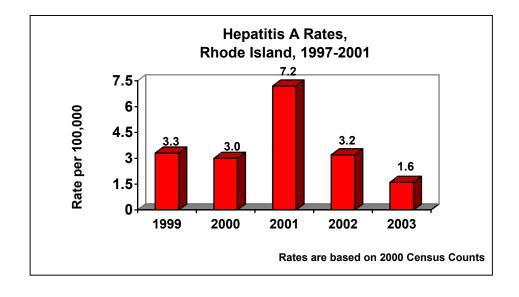
## Hepatitis A

- Reported cases of disease, 1999-2003
- 5-year rate of disease

Note: Since the number of cases of Hepatitis A is less than 50 for one year, information has been combined for three years to allow demonstration of trends for the following figures:

- Reported cases by age group, 2001-2003
- Reported cases by gender, 2001-2003
- Reported cases by county, 2001-2003
- Reported cases by month, 2001-2003





Reported cases of Hepatitis A by age group,					
Rhode Island, 2001-2003					
Age Group	Number of reported	Percent	Rate <sup>1</sup> of disease per		
	cases		100,000		
< 1	0				
1-4	4	3.2 %	2.6		
5-9	4	3.2 %	1.9		
10-19	8	6.3 %	1.8		
20-29	23	18.3 %	5.6		
30-39	47	37.2 %	9.7		
40-49	20	15.9 %	4.2		
50-59	12	9.5%	3.4		
60-74	6	4.8%	1.8		
75+	2	1.6%	0.85		
TOTAL	126	100.0%	4.0		

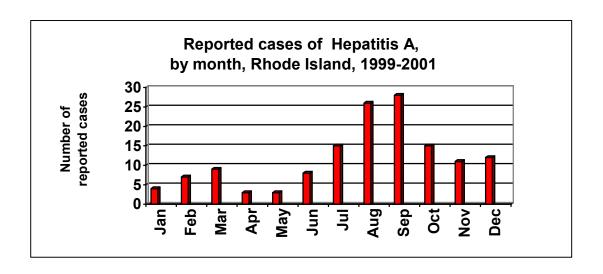
<sup>1</sup>Denominators for computing rates for RI were based on 2000 Census counts obtained from the U.S. Census Bureau.

Reported cases of Hepatitis A by gender, Rhode Island, 2001-2003					
Gender	Number of reported cases	Percent	Rate <sup>1</sup> of disease per 100,000		
Males	94	74.6 %	6.2		
Females	32	25.4 %	2.0		
TOTAL	126	100.0 %	4.0		

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Reported cases of Hepatitis A by county, Rhode Island, 2001-2003					
County	Number of reported	Percent	Rate <sup>1</sup> of disease per		
_	cases		100,000		
Bristol	8	6.3 %	5.3		
Kent	13	10.4 %	2.6		
Newport	8	6.3 %	3.1		
Providence	85	67.5 %	4.6		
Washington	12	9.5%	3.2		
TOTAL	126	100.0 %	4.0		

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